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This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action mailed July 13, 1994. As a response was due in the Patent and Trademark Office on October 13, 1994, enclosed is a Petition for an extension of time and the requisite fee.

Please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 16-20, 24, and 28 without disclaimer or prejudice, and amend the following claims:

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